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## Exempt Action Final Regulation Agency Background Document

<b>Agency Name:</b>	State Water Control Board
<b>VAC Chapter Number:</b>	9 VAC 25-60
<b>Regulation Title:</b>	Sewerage Regulations
<b>Action Title:</b>	Repeal of the Sewerage Regulations
<b>Date:</b>	May 17, 2002

Where a regulation is exempt in part or in whole from the requirements of the Administrative Process Act (§ 9-6.14:1 *et seq.* of the *Code of Virginia*) (APA), the agency may provide information pertaining to the action to be included on the Regulatory Town Hall. The agency must still comply the requirements of the Virginia Register Act (§ 9-6.18 *et seq.* of the *Code of Virginia*) and file the final regulation with the Registrar in a style and format conforming with the *Virginia Register Form, Style and Procedure Manual*. The agency must also comply with Executive Order Fifty-Eight (99) which requires an assessment of the regulation's impact on the institution of the family and family stability.

**Note agency actions exempt pursuant to § 9-6.14:4.1(B)** do not require filing with the Registrar a Notice of Intended Regulatory Action, or at the proposed stage. When the regulation is promulgated and submitted to the Registrar, the agency need only provide a statement citing the specific Virginia Code section referencing the exemption and an authority certification letter from the Attorney General's Office. No specific format is required.

This form should be used for actions **exempt from the Administrative Process Act pursuant to § 9-6.14:4.1(C)** at the final stage. Note that agency actions exempt pursuant to § 9-6.14:4.1(C) of the APA do not require filing with the Registrar a Notice of Intended Regulatory Action, and at the proposed stage.

### Summary

*Please provide a brief summary of the proposed new regulation, amendments to an existing regulation, or the regulation being repealed. There is no need to state each provision or amendment or restate the purpose and intent of the regulation, instead give a summary of the regulatory action and alert the reader to all substantive matters or changes. If applicable, generally describe the existing regulation.*

The Sewerage Regulations established implementation procedures for the joint supervision of the regulation of sewerage systems and sewage treatment works between the State Department of Health and the State Water Control Board. In 1991, amendments to the Code of Virginia revised the system and provided that the Sewerage Regulations would remain in effect until new regulations were adopted by the State Department of Health. The State Department of Health's

new regulations became effective on February 27, 2002. Thus, the Sewerage Regulations are being repealed.

### Statement of Final Agency Action

*Please provide a statement of the final action taken by the agency including the date the action was taken, the name of the agency taking the action, and the title of the regulation.*

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The State Water Control Board unanimously approved the repeal of the Sewerage Regulations at its meeting on May 6, 2002.

### Family Impact Statement

*Please provide an analysis of the regulatory action that assesses the impact on the institution of the family and family stability including the extent to which the regulatory action will: 1) strengthen or erode the authority and rights of parents in the education, nurturing, and supervision of their children; 2) encourage or discourage economic self-sufficiency, self-pride, and the assumption of responsibility for oneself, one's spouse, and one's children and/or elderly parents; 3) strengthen or erode the marital commitment; and 4) increase or decrease disposable family income.*

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There is no impact on the institution of the family and family stability.